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BUTLER'S URBICH

By Winning Sunday's Game, Butler Evened Up the Series.

A few weeks ago the Urich ball team was victorious over the Butler boys by a score of 4 to 3. Sunday the local ball tossers evened the series by winning 6 to 5 in one of the most interesting games played in this city for a long time.

Butler started off in the first inning when Osborne landed on one of Henderson's offerings for a home run. Urich evened it up in the second when Markle hit safely and worked his way around to the home station by the help of an error and a sacrifice hit. In the fifth on a combination of three errors and a hit they scored three more. In the fourth Osborne led off with a two base hit, was sacrificed to second and scored on a fielder's choice. Butler's big inning was the fifth when Young led off with a hit, went to second on a passed ball and scored off William's hit. Ellis got on while Henderson was throwing out Howard, who had drawn a base on balls, at third. Williams and Ellis scored when Osborne got another long two base blow. Osborne scored on Campbell's hit. In the first half of the ninth Urich came up strong but only managed to make one score on two hits and a sacrifice. The features of the game were the fierce hitting of Osborne and Williams playing at second. His running catch of Boyle's fly back of second in the seventh being especially classy.

The score:

	AB	H	R	O	A	E
Urich	34	6	5	24	12	0
Peters, lf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Stewart, 3d	4	0	0	1	2	0
Normand, ss	4	1	0	1	1	0
Markle, 1st	4	2	1	11	0	0
Collins, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Galbraith, 2nd	3	1	0	3	3	0
Boyles, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Fischer, c	4	1	0	7	1	0
Henderson, p	2	0	1	0	5	0
Blevins	0	0	0	0	0	0

*Batted for Henderson in the 9th.

	AB	H	R	O	A	E
Butler	33	10	6	27	9	6
Williams, 2nd	4	2	1	3	5	0
Ellis, cf	4	1	1	5	0	0
Osborne, ss	4	3	3	1	1	2
Campbell, lf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Hulse, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Kershner, 1st	4	0	0	10	0	1
Shroyer, 3rd	4	2	0	1	2	0
Young, c	4	1	1	1	0	1
Howard, p	2	0	0	0	0	0

Struck out by Howard, 4; by Henderson, 7; home runs, Osborne. Two-base hits, Boyles, Fisher, Osborne 2; stolen bases Osborne, Campbell, Boyles; sacrifice hits Markle, Galbraith, Blevins; base on balls off Howard 1, off Henderson 1; left on bases Urich 5; Butler 5.

Umpires Adair and Camron.

El Dorado plays at Butler next Sunday, August 28.

Butler Public Schools.

Butler Public Schools will open Monday September 5, and a large enrollment is expected. Inquiries are coming in almost every day and students from all over the county are planning on attending. This year we will have all the courses we had last year and in addition the other two years of work will be offered in the Vocational Home Economics. This will make four units in Vocational Home Economics, four units in Vocational Agriculture, four units in English, four units in Mathematics, three units in Teacher Training, four units in Social Science, four units of Latin, two units of French, two units of Science, four units of Commercial work, one unit of Manual Training, one unit in Drawing and one unit in Music. This will make 38 units of approved work to be offered the coming year. There will be fifteen teachers in the High School and ten in the grades. We are well able to take care of a large increase in the enrollment over last year. You will make no mistake if you select the Butler High School to do your High School work. XX.

Demands Pay for War Dead.

Berlin, Aug. 23.—Reparation for American lives lost in the great war is one of the demands of the United States in drafting a treaty of peace with Germany. It was reported here today.

The demand, and others, stirred re-echoes of German leaders, but they were dismissed eventually to decide on all of them and then the treaty is ready to be signed.

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ROCKVILLE CORPORATION GETS CHARTER

Keystone Products Company a \$50,000 Concern.

The Keystone Products Company of Rockville has received its incorporation papers from the Secretary of State and will hereafter do business as a corporation.

The Keystone Products Co., which is a Bates county concern, was organized at Rockville several months ago for the purpose of manufacturing laundry supplies and soap and have already built up the foundation for an extensive business.

It is capitalized at \$50,000 and is officered by Rockville business men. Dr. T. A. Finley is president of the company and A. R. Dix is secretary. One of their products which is becoming well known to housewives as well as laundries is their "Kream Suds" a powdered laundry soap.

General Wood Must Retire?

Washington, Aug. 19.—The administration bill designed to authorize Maj. Gen. Wood to become governor general of the Philippines without retiring as an active officer of the army was laid on the table today by the house military committee without a record vote. Committee members were said to have held it would be a dangerous precedent to establish.

Practically all committee members were reported to have favored tabling the measure, which makes it certain that the bill will not come to a vote in the house.

No criticism of General Wood was expressed. The opinion was reported to be general, however, that it would

be a dangerous precedent to permit army officers without resigning their commissions to accept civilian posts. General Wood will be eligible October 9, next, for retirement under the age provision. He now is in his thirty-fifth year of army life.

Mrs. John A. Lefker Dead.

Fred Lefker the last of the week received word that Mrs. Anna Lefker had died at her home at Shedd, Oregon, Thursday, August 11, after an illness lasting several months following a paralytic stroke.

Mrs. Lefker will be remembered by the older residents of Butler as she was prominent in social affairs here in an early day. Her husband, John A. Lefker, was at different times judge of the county court and mayor of the city. She was a sister of the late Judge D. V. Brown.

Marking Kansas City-Springfield Short Line.

The marking of the Kansas City-Springfield Short Line was begun last week and will be completed by the end of the month, according to George W. Sunderwirth, president of the Highway Association. Donations for the marking of the highway, except those from Springfield and Kansas City, are as follows: Bolivar, \$75; Fair Play, \$50; Stockton, \$50; Filley, \$25; El Dorado Springs, \$75; Prairie City, \$25; Butler, \$75.—Cedar County Republican.

Butler lost to Eldorado the first of season, but it may be different this time.

Negro Who Assaulted Missouri Woman Hanged.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 17.—The gallows today claimed the life of Walker Lee, negro, convicted of a brutal assault upon an elderly white woman.

A last attempt for a reprieve failed last night and Lee went stoically to his death at 6:16 a. m. today. The body was cut down 24 hours later.

Miss Elizabeth Dahm, whom Lee was convicted of assaulting in her home near Independence, Mo., died shortly after the negro's conviction. The hanging today was the first in Jackson County in six years. One hundred persons witnessed the scene while 400 others, excluded by the Sheriff's orders, gathered outside the county jail.

Hudson's Picnic.

The annual picnic of the Hudson Farm and Home Improvement Club will be held Friday, August 26. In the afternoon State Superintendent of Schools, Prof. Sam A. Baker, will address the people on a subject of great interest to everyone.

All are invited to bring their baskets and come. Place—Hudson school yard.

Old Settlers' Reunion September 14.

The Annual Reunion of the Old Settlers of Bates County will be held in Butler on Wednesday, September 14 this year. While the Association has fixed upon the date for the reunion, no detailed arrangements have been made and a public meeting will be called in the near future for that purpose.

Editor Sued for \$50,000.

Martin H. Schandler, an automobile dealer of Adrian, has brought suit in the Bates county circuit court against John E. Dowell, Jr., assistant editor of the Adrian Journal, for \$50,000, alleging alienation and estrangement of his wife's affections.

He states that he was married in 1914 and that he has lived with his wife until July 17, 1921. He states that Dowell frequently took her on auto trips to Kansas City and other places. Mrs. Schandler is now in Bellingham, Washington.

Mrs. Schandler, who was Miss Lucrece Bevington, was first married to Frank T. Clay, a druggist of this city, from whom she was afterwards divorced and later married Schandler. Schandler has also filed suit for divorce alleging desertion.

Dowell is the son of John E. Dowell, editor of the Adrian Journal. Both cases are set for the October term of court.

500 Armed Miners Plan to March Into Mingo.

Charleston, W. Va., Aug. 20.—More than 500 armed miners have assembled at Marmet, about four miles from here, Saturday afternoon and every hour was adding to the size of the gathering. The announced intention of the miners was to march into Mingo county and take the situation there into their own hands. The distance from Marmet to Mingo is 80 miles. The march is scheduled to begin Sunday and will pass through Logan county, a nonunion field, it is reported.

Eldorado Springs plays ball here Sunday, August 28.



This photograph of Miss Martha Williams Butler, Mo., was printed recently in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat as one of the beautiful girls in that newspaper's \$700 cash beauty prize contest. With the contest drawing toward the close, the widespread interest is growing more intense. The contest will close August 31.

Miss Williams is the daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. J. E. Williams and is one of the most popular of the younger set here. Miss Williams is a senior in the Butler High School.

Ball game called at 3.00 o'clock Sunday August 28, every body come.

Great Silk Blouse Sale

A chance brought us an assortment of Superior Blouses and Over-blouses at far below their regular worth, and as usual we are happy to share our bargains with you.

If you read this announcement, you will surely come, and if you come you will buy one or more.

These fine blouses are made of excellent quality georgette crepe, crepe de chine, mignonette and ne's in shades grey, navy, copen, beige, yellow, maize, white, pink, apricot and in combinations of grey and blue, bisque and Harding blue, navy and henna, some are beaded, embroidered and some in tailored effects—all sizes.

On Sale at

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New Fall Suits, Dresses and Coats

NOW BEING SHOWN AT OUR STORE

Garments of High Quality

Prices Astonishingly Low

New Fall Suits

The materials include Tricotine, Serge, Velour, Poiret Twill, Doveyine in Brown, Navy and Black. All are silk lined, some are button and braid trimmed, some beaded and embroidered white, others in the plain tailored effects

\$20.00 to \$40.00

Beautiful Autumn Dresses

Smart combination color effects, tailored embroidered and beaded models, straightline and overskirt designs, satins, Canton Crepes, Tricotines, Serges.

\$15.00 to \$35.00

Charming Fall Coats

Correct lengths and styles in all the leading fabrics including Polo Cloth, Broadcloth, Bolivia, Plush, Wool Velour, fur collars, all silk lined, many novel trimmings.

\$15.00 to \$45.00



For School Openings

In Our Clothing Department

One Assortment Young Men's Fine All Wool Worsted Suits, Solid Shades, Foulard Stripes.....\$25.00
Assortment Young Men's All Wool Dress Trousers, Latest Styles and Patterns.....\$4.95
One Assortment Boys' "Rayon" Blouses.....75c
Assortment Boys' Chamberly Blouses.....50c
One Assortment Young Men's Fine Little Hose, Black and Colors.....50c
One Assortment Boys' Wool Knee Pants.....\$1.25
Boys' Knit Undershirts.....50c
Boys' and Young Men's Overalls, Heaviest Weight.....\$1.50 pair

In Our Dry Goods Department

One Assortment Children's Gingham Dresses, All Sizes at.....\$1.98
One Assortment 36 inch Fine Zephyr Gingham, Light and Dark Patterns.....25c yard
One Assortment Misses Knit Union Suits.....35c
One Assortment Misses and Ladies "Phoenix" Silk Hose.....50c
One Assortment Misses "E & G" Corsets, Flesh only.....\$1.25
One Assortment Misses Middy Blouses.....\$1.95
One Assortment Children's Navy Serge Dresses, Sizes 8 to 10 years.....\$4.00
One Assortment Misses and Ladies All Wool Dress Skirts, at.....\$4.95
36 inch Satin, Brown, Black and Navy.....\$1.95 yard
Black Cat Fine Ribbed Children's and Misses Hose Black and Brown at.....25c pair

In Our Shoe Department

"Krippendorf-Dittman" Fine Dress Shoes and Oxfords, Black and Brown.....\$6.50 to \$10.00
Misses "Red Goose" High Grade School Shoes, Black and Brown.....\$4.00 to \$5.00
Misses Black and Brown Calf Shoes, Sizes 1-2 to 7 at.....\$3.00 pair
Misses Splendid Quality Tan and Black Calf Shoes, Cuban and Low Heels at.....\$4.00
Misses "Red Goose" School Shoes, Brown Calf, 1-2 to 8.....\$3.50
Children's "Red Goose" Brown Calf School Shoes, 11 1-2 to 2 at.....\$3.00 pair
Boys' Brown and Black Calf Shoes, 11 to 1-2 at.....\$4.50
Boys' Brown and Black Calf Shoes, 1-2 to 6 at.....\$3.00 pair
Boys' "Red Goose" Army Shoes.....\$4.00 pair
Men's Good Quality Work Shoes.....\$5.00 pair

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